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AT \$357Z, \$8 OCT 72, IN A MESSAGE PASSED BY AN UNID UNIT OF THE 264TH SAM REGT (LOC IN THE SON TAY AREA), IT WAS REPORTED THAT ONE F-4 WAS HOT DOWN WEST OF THEIR AAA SITE (PROB LOC WITHIN A TEN MILE RADIUS OF 20-53N 105-48E). AT \$409Z, THE SAM SITE REPORTED SIGHTING TWO PILOTS (PROB LOC WITHIN TEN MILES AND ON AN AZIMUTH OF 350 DEG FROM THE SITE) AND THAT THEY WOULD TRY TO CAPTURE THE PILOTS. XXHH 200 #0649 NNN

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